

**Amendments to the Specification**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace paragraph number [0031] with the following rewritten paragraph:

In this case too, the belt-buckle tightener comprises a winding-up device 10 which is secured on the vehicle chassis and has a spindle 11 for the rolling up of a draw-in cable 12 which is fastened at one end to the spindle 11 and at the other end to the fastening fitting 3. Between the fastening fitting 3 and the spindle 11 the draw-in cable 12 runs around a deflection pulley 13 pulley 13' at that end of the securing plate 6 which is opposite the belt buckle 1.